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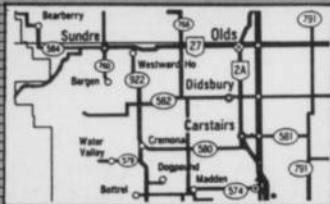


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Fire levels hay plant



By Peter Crosby

A devastating fire, out of control within minutes, destroyed Didsbury's newest industry Friday night.

Feeding on the dry timbers of a 40-year-old building and equally dry hay, flames quickly swept through a two-month-old hay processing plant operated by Midwest Agri in the former Didsbury Auction Market east of town.

Miraculously, said fire fighting officials, no one was injured.

Damage was estimated at \$1.5 million by plant manager Ian Hopfe of Didsbury.

More than 30 people are without work (33 full-time and one part-time), at least temporarily. Hopfe said new equipment could be in place and the plant up and running again in two weeks if a suitable facility can be found.

Between 250 and 300 tons of hay were destroyed, he said. Another 200 tons were smoke-damaged.

Fire departments from Didsbury, Olds and Carstairs battled the blaze after the call came in at 6:45 p.m. from one of the plant workers.

Didsbury fire chief Gary Halfyard said the south section of the building, which housed the plant's processing machinery "was already down when we got there . . . and it probably wasn't any more than five minutes before the whole structure was fully involved."

Firefighters had no chance to subdue the fast-moving flames, concentrating their efforts on protecting nearby properties and tons of hay stored outside the burning structure.

"Given the nature of the product, it just burned very quickly," said Halfyard.

A seven-member shift was working at the plant when the fire started.

Halfyard said 20 minutes before the fire started, the crew had been cutting pipe in a room adjoining the processor, before taking a coffee break.

A piece of the hot metal apparently came in contact with some of the hay, causing the fire, Halfyard said.

"The cause of the fire was purely accidental," the chief added. "It was not of a suspicious nature and as far as we're concerned

there is no need for any further investigation."

Firefighters stayed on the scene overnight with the last crew leaving at 10 a.m. Saturday, although they returned at other times during the weekend to contend with still-smoldering hay in the yard.

Midwest Agri, a U.S.-based firm, had been operating the plant since December, leasing the building from Calgary Stockyards Ltd. The latter had purchased the building in 1990, briefly operating part of their cattle auction business at the site.

Hopfe said the building and its contents were fully insured.

Although there were no hydrants in the area, Halfyard said: "At no time were we out of water. We had three units continuously getting water [in town] and quickly getting back to the site."

The chief added that the biggest loss was the jobs that went up in smoke. "Losing 30 jobs is just devastating for a town this size," he said.

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Plant will be back, vows manager

By Peter Crosby

The manager of the Didsbury hay processing plant wiped out in a Friday fire, said a new plant could be up and running again in as little as two weeks.

"The equipment can be lined up and here in two weeks if we can find a facility," said Ian Hopfe. "We'd like to be here in the Didsbury area but it will depend on what's available."

The search for a suitable building was to start Monday morning after a meeting with the 34 workers employed by the plant, Hopfe said.

If a suitable building can't be found to house the equipment, which compresses round timothy bales into smaller ones the company may decide to build its own facility. However, if this route is taken, work on a new building probably won't start until spring, he said.

"We had good people working here and they were putting out a lot of product that was being well accepted," Hopfe added.

"I hope the town will help look after [the workers] until we're up and going again," he said. "Considering the current economic situation, this was providing a great opportunity, especially for young people. Two-thirds of the people working here were young people."

The plant foreman and office manager will be kept on the payroll until future direction is determined, he added.

If a decision is made to build a new facility, Hopfe said he would prefer to see it built in the Didsbury area. "A lot of communities want us but as long as Didsbury wants us,

we'll build here."

Hopfe said he had left the plant just moments before the fire started. "The drive home is about 10 or 15 minutes and when I got there my wife was standing on the porch telling me the place was on fire. It was basically gone in 10 or 15 minutes."

The plant opened in December, primarily because of the good timothy hay grown in the area. The product was for export to Japan.

While the building and its contents were "fully insured," said Hopfe, he was most grateful none of the workers or firefighters were injured.



Aftermath

The burned-out remains of the hay processing plant destroyed in a fire the night before, as pictured Saturday morning.

First half-hour was scary for neighbors

By Peter Crosby

Friday's hay plant fire was "scary" for the residents of two neighboring houses.

"The first half-hour was just horrendous," said Audrey Hurst, who was at home with her husband Robert and son Bob when the fire started. "I'm just starting to come down," she said Sunday night. The Hursts live about 500 feet east of the devastated plant.

"I thought we were in a very precarious situation because two of our sons were away and we had 39 head of horses stabled here [the Hursts run a well-known stable, primarily show and pleasure

horses which have won many awards]"

But the quick arrival of firefighters and the fact there was little or no wind probably prevented more widespread damage, she said.

"I couldn't believe it could go so fast," she added. "Those first flames [burning their way through an asphalt roof in the building's south section] were 30 to 40 feet high, red and black."

"It's just a miracle that the wind was not blowing and I'm so delighted there was no loss of life."

While not particularly hap-

py this type of business (she said it was noisy and dusty) was operating next door to her home, she did recognize that it "employed a lot of people and I'm hoping they will get it going again."

To the west of the plant, homeowner Bill Windsor said his property was unscathed by the fire but was damaged by spectators who swarmed the area.

"My biggest concern was about injuries to the workers and firefighters," Windsor said. "It was scary but I didn't feel at any time that our home was threatened."

He added: "Considering the tough economic times and the lack of employment opportunities in this area, this was a heck of a blow."

But he wasn't sympathetic for those who used his driveway and other parts of his property to view the fire. "Some jerk wiped out 50 spruce trees. Some people just seem to have no respect for others' property."

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Many came through with helping hands

By Peter Crosby

There were a lot of unsung heroes—besides the volunteer firefighters from Didsbury, Olds and Carstairs—in Friday's hay plant fire.

Didsbury fire chief Gary Halfyard said he wanted to compliment the outside fire departments on their quick response in providing mutual aid.

But others deserved a tip of the hat too, he said.

"I want to thank all of the people who came and helped out, the people at Res-Q-Towing and Derkison's who helped tow the trailer units out of the way, Gord Reimer who provided heavy equipment to move the hay bales, Al Engel and Grant Hemming who supplied coffee, pop and sandwiches, and to Al, who also spent four or five hours at the fire hall, helping with equipment, reloading hoses."

"All of this was really appreciated."

Plant manager Ian Hopfe said the firefighters "did an excellent job particularly in saving the rest of the hay."

Besides those mentioned by Halfyard, Hopfe said Mountain View Motors also deserved thanks for providing offices for plant management "until we can get things together."

Didsbury RCMP report

Didsbury RCMP responded to a total of 204 complaints from Jan. 1 to Jan. 21. Of these 38 were criminal code related and 13 were motor vehicle accidents.

There were 20 traffic tickets issued, one Liquor Control Act infraction and 11 written warnings issued. Four persons were charged with impaired driving.

Hospital Corner



Early in the Fall, the Hospital Corner carried an article on the Adult Day Support Program. This program operates weekdays from 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. and is available to the elderly or disabled people of the community. The program combines nursing assessment and care, with activities and socialization and allows respite for the usual care-giver.

Through the assistance of the Sundre Community Van, transportation is now available on Thursdays, to people from the surrounding region wishing to participate in the Adult Day Support Program.

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DHS does well in math test

Didsbury High School students, judged weak in math during a provincial evaluation last year, didn't live up to this billing during a recent province-wide competition.

A number of DHS students wrote the Alberta High School Mathematics Examination sponsored by the University of Alberta and five of them achieved outstanding results.

Those students receiving top scores were Neil Kennedy, Karen Widish, Andrew Whittaker, Jamie Gingrich and Marlin Derksen.

Individual honors go to Neil, Karen and Andrew, who placed fifth, 41st and 53rd respectively. A total of 748 students from 50 schools in Alberta took the exam.

Because Neil, Karen and Andrew were in the top 56 marks, they will write a second examination Feb. 11 for scholarships ranging from \$100 to \$500.

In addition, based on the results of the first exam, Neil and Karen will also receive awards for being the top two students in Zone II which takes

in all of southern Alberta (south of Red Deer, except Calgary).

The DHS team placed first in Zone II and seventh in the province, quite an accomplishment as the other schools receiving top ratings were much larger than DHS. Of the top 11 teams, two were from Calgary, seven from Edmonton and Barrhead School, the only other school besides Didsbury to qualify from a smaller jurisdiction.

Congratulations to these DHS students on achieving this level of success.

Water line negotiations will reopen

By Peter Crosby

Negotiations between the Mountain View Regional Water Board and the province over the sale of the Anthony-Henday water treatment plant and water line, are expected to resume next month.

An assessment of the provincially-owned water facilities, presented to members of the board at a meeting in Olds last week, should help pave the way to a successful conclusion in the negotiating process, said board secretary, Olds town manager Ron Hilton.

"The assessment answered most of the board's questions

and I think it left them feeling more confident in continuing the negotiating process," said Hilton.

"I'm confident that a deal can be worked out," he added.

The water board, with representatives from those communities served by the Anthony-Henday plant, Innisfail, Bowden, Olds, Didsbury, Carsairs and Crossfield, was set up after the province said it wanted to get out of operating the facility.

Provincial options included selling the facility to private enterprise or to the towns.

The province said if the

towns didn't buy it, they could be hit with water rate increases of up to 50 per cent. Board members felt that increase could be even higher if the facility was in the hands of a private company.

An assessment of the system, the cost of which was shared by the province and the municipalities, was one of the steps the board insisted on to determine the condition of the facility.

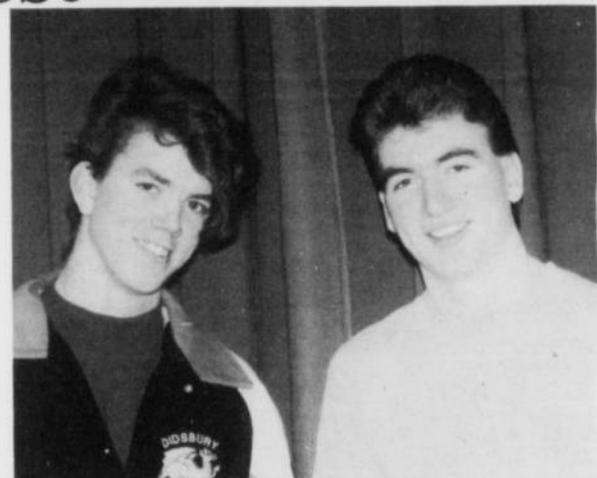
The board made an offer, a proposal to purchase, to the province last year. So far, no figures have been made public.

Math wizards

Andrew Whittaker (left) and Jamie Gingrich were among DHS students who excelled in a recent University of Alberta math exam. Other members of the Didsbury team, unavailable for the picture, were Neil Kennedy, Karen Widish and Marlin Derksen.

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OPINIONS / EDITORIAL

Town pulled together

By Peter Crosby

Like a lot of small towns these days, Didsbury has had some recent adversity.

The latest was Friday's fire that wiped out the town's newest industry, a hay processing plant employing 34 people.

The good news was that no one was killed or hurt.

But the bad news is that Didsbury can ill afford to lose the 34 jobs provided by this plant.

Everyone, however, should be encouraged that the owners haven't let this fire put them down for the count.

As soon as they can find a suitable facility in this area, they can be up and running again in a matter of weeks.

One thing that hasn't disappeared—and we see it time and again when tragedy strikes—is a sense of community togetherness.

Besides our volunteer fire departments, often under-appreciated but always there when called upon, others in the community came through to give what help they could and beyond.

And this spirit of community was certainly in evidence again Friday night.

Hopefully, the plant can reopen soon and those much-needed jobs can be restored.

And maybe the town can draw on this most recent experience as a starting point for cooperative efforts in restoring community pride and working towards ensuring a sound future.

Math student show how

A provincial evaluation of Didsbury High School last year showed the school was weak in math subjects and suggested ways to upgrade marks.

Whatever steps have been taken are obviously working.

One DHS student who recently took part in a University of Alberta math competition as part of a five-member DHS team, finished fifth among close to 750 students participating from throughout the province.

And two other Didsbury students finished in the top 56.

Neil Kennedy, Karen Widish and Andrew Whittaker are deserving of congratulations, along with Jamie Gingrich and Marlin Derksen. And good luck to Neil, Karen and Andrew as they write a second examination in February for scholarships ranging from \$100 to \$500.

Good show

Despite the tough economic times we keep hearing about, the Didsbury Ramblers Hockey Club managed to draw a full house for their dinner theatre presentation, *It's A Scream*, Saturday.

Put on by the Airdrie Little Theatre Company, the show provided first-rate entertainment while showcasing the talents of two of Didsbury's top actors, Derek Lewis and Abby Nathan-Simons.

Live theatre has always been well-received in this area and Saturday's production produced great reviews.

A tip of the hat to the Little Theatre Company, and in particular to Derek and Abby, and to the Ramblers and everyone else who played a part in bringing this production to town.

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To The
Editor**



J.P. Doodles



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Congratulations Getty

Dear Editor:

Congratulations to Don Getty for recognizing what most people in Western Canada want—a country with one language and one culture.

This, however, will never occur in Canada. Canada with Quebec and even Canada without Quebec, dominated by Ontario, with its "ethnic diversity" will never tolerate such talk. They

view any attempt to establish a country consistent with our European Christian roots, our English-speaking heritage, as clearly racist and to be rejected as intolerant. They fail however to apply that standard to Quebec.

The next and most responsible step is to begin to consider and publicly discuss how Western Canada will go about becoming a nation on its own and

how it will govern itself. To do less is to inevitably accept the multicultural and bilingual dictates of Ontario and Quebec and would mean Getty's words are just so much empty rhetoric in the end.

D.H. Christie
Western Canada Concept
Victoria, B.C.

10th anniversary for handicapped riding

By Shelene Williams

It's time to gear up for another year. And this year is extra special, the 10th Anniversary of Mount View Handicapped Riding Association.

For 10 years the 100% volunteer organization has been providing lessons to riders with disabilities in the County of Mountain View. The annual general meeting will be held Feb. 4 at 7:30 p.m. in room 238 in the Olds College Administration Building. Refreshments will be served.

There has been a great deal of growth in the last 10 years. As well as the standard board of directors (president, secretary and treasurer) there is also a

need for the following positions: newsletter editor, horse show secretary, volunteer/rider coordinators, public relations and fundraising coordinators.

At the meeting we will also look at our requirements for the upcoming riding season and select special projects for this special year. If you would like to volunteer your time, your horse or your expertise please attend the meeting.

We would like to thank everyone who has volunteered with us over the past 10 years. Many came for one year and a few have stuck with us for all 10. The volunteer support has been wonderful. Without it there would be no riding program.

We would also like to say thank you to the community in general for their support. Businesses, clubs and service groups throughout the county have always been willing to lend a hand whenever needed. A special thanks to the Olds Agricultural Society for the use of the Cow Palace. Overall the support of our endeavors has been terrific. This community can be proud.

We look forward to the next 10 years and hope that the volunteers and community support will continue to be there for our riders.

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GOVERNMENT NEWS

Grant increases in line with economic times



Hon. Roy Brassard
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Constituency
Major spending grants
announced

On January 9 Premier Don

Getty and Dick Johnston, Provincial Treasurer, announced the figures for the Government of Alberta's major grants for the programs delivered by the Departments of Health, Education, Advanced Education and Municipal Affairs for 1992-93.

Local authorities across Alberta will receive an increase of \$174 million in 1992-93 for the major operation grants. These organizations received a total of \$5.0 billion from the Government of Alberta in 1991-92. The major operating grants provided to these local authorities represent over 40 per cent of the money spent on programs in the province.

The Government of Alberta will maintain its commitment, announced last year, that hospitals, nursing homes and local health units will receive a four per cent base grant rate increase for the 1992-93 fiscal year. Health institutions have responded in a very positive manner to the government's new multi-year commitment and will be guaranteed a further grant rate increase of 2.5 per cent for the 1993-94 fiscal year.

Operating grants to schools and post-secondary institutions will increase by three per cent in 1992-1993. Grants to municipalities under the Alberta Partnership Transfer program will

increase by 2.5 per cent in the upcoming fiscal year. Funding provided by municipalities via the Grant-in-Lieu of Taxes program will increase by nearly \$3 million, to \$47 million, in 1992-93.

We expect inflation to be about 2.5 per cent in Alberta in 1992. Over the last three months, prices in Alberta have on average fallen by 0.6 per cent. Nevertheless, and despite weak energy markets, our grant rate adjustments for health and education will still be greater than the expected rate of inflation. Moreover, with inflation abating, local authorities should face less pressure for salary and other cost

increases. With their cooperation, the Government of Alberta will be able to maintain the standards of programs in our province.

This government has the best, most responsible, expenditure management record in the country. These latest grant rate increases are aimed at weathering the current tough economic times while continuing our commitment to provide programs that work. I will be pleased to discuss the major grants announcements with anyone who would like to contact me at our constituency office 556-3132 or you may call my Edmonton office at 422-0141 (collect).

MP's corner



Louise Feltham
Wildrose MP

Recently in Ottawa it was announced that Canada would endorse the Multilateral Trade Negotiations Proposals to strengthen Patent Protection for the pharmaceutical industry.

Since the Government improved Patent Protection for drugs four years ago, increases in the price of patented drugs have been kept below the increase in Consumer Price Index.

We believe that it is of the

utmost importance that the Federal Government continue to play a role in Canada's Health Care System, and I can assure you this will include reasonable drug prices.

The Hon. Benoit Bouchard went on to say "That the Federal Government will continue working with Provincial and Territorial Health Ministers to keep Health Care affordable for Canadians. We Recognize that managing our costs effectively is a priority." The Ministers will meet on January 27 to discuss a process whereby we can work together to keep drug prices fair. Our experience following the 1987 Patent Act has shown us that this can be accomplished.

The Minister also stated that Canadians want more and better medicines treatment for the diseases that afflict our society. He believes that the new government position on Patent Protection for pharmaceuticals will contribute to that goal.

Many of you will be wondering why the Government should consider these changes at

a time when costs are so high. How can the Government consider eliminating compulsory licensing under such circumstances.

Health Care costs are not soaring because of drug prices. Drug costs represent only 6% of the total Health Care bill. Furthermore the prices of Patented Drug Products are increasing at a lower rate than the Consumer Price Index. Stronger Patent Protection does not necessarily lead to higher drug prices if an adequate price control system is in place. Prior to changes in the Patent Act in 1987 Canadians were also of the belief that prices for generic drugs would increase because it would take longer for generic drugs to reach the marketplace. The record has shown that this has not happened. We will not let the Patented Drug Industry increase prices without controls. The Minister of Health and Welfare Benoit Bouchard stated clearly that the Government is committed to keeping drug prices reasonable for all Canadians.

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Didsbury going all out to recognize volunteers

Didsbury Family and Community Support Services is planning on "Saluting Its Helping Hands" during Volunteer Week April 26 to May 2.

Several special events and activities are in the works to pay tribute to the many volunteers

who give so much of themselves and to promote the spirit of volunteerism in the community.

"Many people don't realize just how much is done in this community by volunteer hands," say Pearl Craig, FCSS

Director, "we want everyone to see the spirit and make it grow."

Volunteer Week is an internationally recognized week designated to increase awareness of volunteers and the importance they play in the

quality of life in every community.

The Wild Rose Foundation supports Volunteer Week in Alberta by awarding grants to promote volunteerism through special events and activities. Their "Let's Celebrate Volunteer Week" campaign encompasses the spirit of recognizing Alberta's estimated 980,000 and promoting volunteerism.

The grant has enabled the Didsbury Volunteer Week Committee to hire a part-time

coordinator, Kathy Lloyd, who will help bring the events together.

"We'll be working with the schools, churches, clubs and businesses in Didsbury to get everyone involved," says Lloyd.

"We hope to make Volunteer Week a community-wide celebration," adds Craig and she encourages anyone who would like to help out the committee or get more information to contact her.

Didsbury opposed to proposed boundary change

The town of Didsbury has joined the town of Olds in voicing its objection to recent proposed changes in Alberta's electoral boundaries, pertaining to the Olds-Didsbury constituency.

Town council voted to go on record as opposed to the changes and will make representation to a public hearing on the proposals. That hearing is set for Feb. 25 at Duncan Marshall Place in Olds College.

Olds-Didsbury MLA Roy

Brassard earlier expressed his opposition to the proposed changes which would separate Olds and Didsbury, making Didsbury part of a new riding with northwest Calgary, and leaving Olds as part of a far-flung Olds-Rocky Mountain House constituency.

The current boundaries, set in 1963, essentially follow the county boundary.

The proposed changes would make for "a bad mix," Brassard commented earlier.

Written concerns can be sent to the Electoral Boundaries Commission office in Edmonton before March 3.



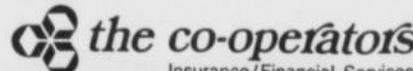
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AGRICULTURAL NEWS

Weak economy will keep downward pressure on beef prices

Lingering problems on the supply side plus serious problems on the demand side have kept constant pressure on cattle prices says an Alberta Agriculture market analyst.

4-H scholarship applications invited

Alberta's associate agriculture minister is inviting former and current 4-H members attending post-secondary institutions this fall to apply for a 1992 4-H scholarship.

"In past years, the numerous scholarships available to these young Albertans have provided assistance and rewarded excellence," says Shirley McClellan. "Once again this year, I am pleased to invite and encourage 4-H members and alumni to apply for a wide range of scholarships available to assist them in attaining their educational goals."

A total of 85 scholarships

"A number of factors are contributing to the weakness in the beef market, from a backlog of heavy cattle to reduced demand. The most important factor affecting beef demand is

personal disposable income. This is directly related to the state of the general economy," says Ron Gietz.

"If the North American economy remains in the dol-

worth over \$55,000 can be awarded for the 1992-93 academic year. Individual scholarships range in value from \$100 to \$1,000. Scholarship awards are based on a number of criteria including 4-H and community involvement, and academic standing.

Application forms are now available from all Alberta rural high schools and post-secondary institutions; regional 4-H offices; Alberta Agriculture district home economists; or, by writing to 4-H Scholarships, 200, J.G. O'Donoghue Building, 7000-113 Street, Edmonton, Alberta, T6H 5T6.

The application deadline for

most 4-H scholarships is July 15. Those with earlier deadlines are noted on the general application form.

4-Hers, as well as non 4-H members, taking agriculture, agricultural engineering, home economics or veterinary science are also invited to apply for the Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth, the Queen Mother Scholarship. Three of these scholarships worth \$1,500 each will be awarded in 1992. Application forms for these scholarships are available only at 4-H regional offices, or by writing the Alberta Agriculture 4-H branch in Edmonton.

West Didsbury 4-H news



Reporter Greg Roberts

On Dec. 9, 1991, the West Didsbury 4-H Beef Club held their third meeting of the season at Melvin Hall with 17 members in attendance.

The meeting was called to order by club president, Bobbi Rosegood. We discussed old business from our last meeting.

The club decided to pass on

having a small engines project and a light horse project for this 4-H season. Dec. 15, 1991 we held our Christmas party back at the Elkton Curling Rink, we all had a good time. The club would like to thank Mr. and Mrs. Doug Lewis for the use of their tobogganing hill and Mr. and Mrs. Hogg for hosting the party.

On Jan. 13, 1992, the West



meeting.

Thanks for all the member and parent participation. For all horse members our first mounted meeting will be January 26 at 1 p.m. at the Pavilion in Olds. Horses are required but not necessary, although it is important that you attend.

Also, could we have member and parent input on the Tact Swap?

Our next meeting will be February 10.

Club Reporter,
Elissa Sakariassen

East Didsbury 4-H news

Our most recent meeting was January 13th. Our club speak-off has been set for February 22 at 1:30. Members are to have the titles for their speeches at the next meeting or if they are not going to compete at the speak-off they are to give their speech at the next meeting.

Calgary Region is having a ski weekend for senior members. If you are interested you may contact Bruce Dowell.

Also anyone who has not paid \$3.25 for rollerskating could pay please do so at the next

Earl who?

The old-time rodeo cowboy who helped place Alberta on the map of rodeo history has been chosen to be listed in "Who Who in The World." In 1922, while living on his father's ranch on the Old Man River outside of Ethridge, Earl Bascom designed and made rodeo's first ornate bronc saddle.

He first used the saddle he entered the saddle bronc riding at the Cardston Stampede some 70 years ago, making Alberta the "Home of the pro-Rodeo Bronc Saddle."

The hornless rodeo saddle is now the international standard equipment used in all professional rodeos and stampedes across Canada, the United States, Australia and New Zealand.

Bascom has been inducted into three halls of fame including the Canadian Rodeo Hall of Fame. A cousin to the Queen of England, the 86-year-old cowboy has been featured in Hollywood western movies, the latest being

"Take Willy With You."

Now wintering in California near Palm Springs, Earl Bascom has gained additional fame designing and making bronze statues, some of which have been shown internationally by satellite on The Nashville Network.

New Furniture Auction

Mon., Feb. 3/92

Olds Legion Hall

Sale 7:00 p.m.

View 5:00 p.m.

See Display Ad Page 11

Didsbury 4-H Beef Club held their fourth meeting of the season at the Westglen School with 18 members in attendance.

Brett Israelson called the meeting to order. The minutes of the last meeting were read and the treasurer's report was read. Old business from last meeting was discussed.

Back on Jan. 3, our club held their bottle and battery drive. We would like to thank anyone who gave us any bottles or batteries, it really helped us out a lot.

We still have a few 4-H cookbooks for sale, for \$15 each. Anyone interested in a cookbook please contact any member of the club.

After the meeting, Brian Roberts and Sharon Israelson talked to us about this year's public speaking program.

The next meeting will be held on Feb. 3, at the Westglen School at 7:30 p.m.

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drums in 1992, demand for beef will continue to falter, resulting in downward pressure on cattle prices," he adds.

Gietz also says the \$80 to \$90/cwt price range of the past five years is gone. "Once again, \$70 to \$80 will likely become the typical annual trading range for fed cattle in Alberta. When the market is particularly strong, and that's not likely in 1992, prices may rise above \$80. When markets are under pressure, prices will likely dip below \$70."

That trend is evident in 1991's prices. During the first week of 1991, Alberta slaughter steer prices averaged \$86.92/cwt.

cwt. By the final week of 1991, the average was \$69.96. The weighted average annual steer price for Alberta Direct Sales was \$78.41 in 1991, compared to the record high of \$84.33 in 1990. The last time Canfax steer prices averaged below \$80 for a year was in 1986, when the steer price averaged out at \$75.58.

While 1992 began with higher cattle prices in both local and U.S. markets, Gietz says the extremely weak beef market in December doesn't leave room for a large rally this winter. Gietz is predicting an average slaughter steer price of \$73/cwt through January and \$75 in February.

Olds Auction Mart

Olds Auction Mart Ltd. report for week ending Tues., Jan. 21, 1992 with 876 cattle and 487 hogs.

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Dairy Cows 540 to 840.

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With Larger Calves to 390.

Baby Heifer Calves to 275;

With Larger Calves to 360.

HOG DIVISION:

Weiner Pigs 24 to 36.

Small Feeders 36 to 43;

Larger Feeders 44 to 62.

Sows & Gilts to 165; Boars to 110.

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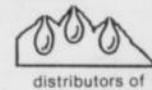
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Icy roads blamed for accidents

By Peter Crosby

A light snowfall early Friday morning turned parts of Highway 2 near Carstairs icy, causing two accidents about 30 minutes apart.

The first occurred one kilometre south of the Carstairs overpass when a 1988 Mercury went out of control and into a spin when it was struck by a semi-trailer, said Sgt. Daryl Waterman of Airdrie RCMP Freeway Patrol.

Both vehicles were northbound when the collision occurred at about 8:15 a.m.

There were no injuries, said Sgt. Waterman. Damage amounted to about \$15,000, he added.

The second accident occurred at 8:45 a.m. when a half-ton hauling a fifth wheel went out of control on the icy road surface, went into the median and flipped on its side. It too, was northbound, said Sgt. Waterman.

The driver was from Calgary.

"There was very extensive damage but luckily no injuries," he said.

The second accident, to which Didsbury's fire department was called, happened about four kilometres south of the overpass.

Locals attend AWI conference

Through ice and snow 42 officers of the Alberta Women's Institute met at the Grey Nuns Center in Edmonton in a dynamic workshop.

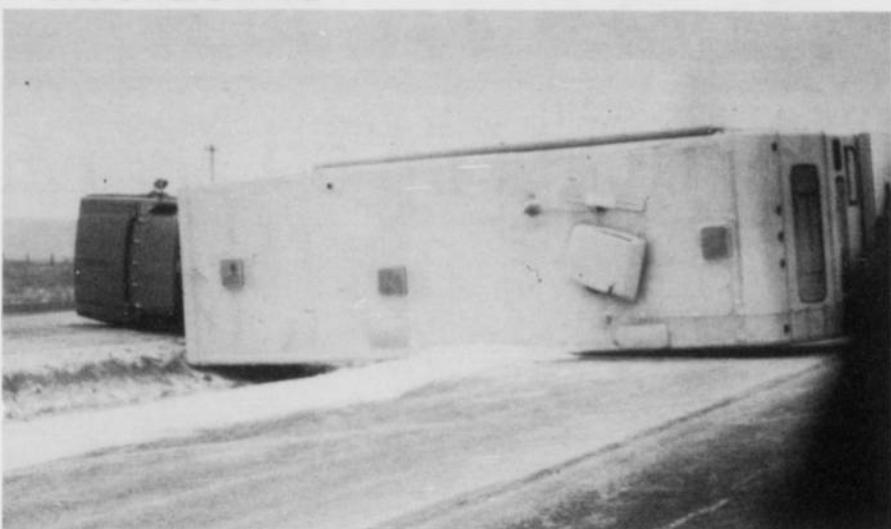
Gladys Dowell from east Didsbury and Phyllis Bricker, west of Didsbury were in attendance.

Up-to-date information was received on Rural Child Care, The Farm Safety program in Grades 1 to 4 will be continued,

co-sponsored with the John Deere Co. Agricultural subjects were also studied.

In a humorous and educational presentation Alex Maer, well known author and broadcaster demonstrated how to communicate with confidence.

Alberta Women's Institute recognizes that to keep the organization vibrant, it is essential to continue to meet the challenge of changing times.



Lucky escape

A Calgary motorist escaped uninjured when the truck and fifth-wheel he was driving skidded and overturned on Highway 2, south of Carstairs Friday.

Elks update

Exalted Ruler Alex Pratt on behalf of the Lodge would like to send condolences to the Baptist family on the loss of father and husband Irven Baptist who passed away Jan. 14, 1992. He will be missed by all.

District Deputy Wayne Price was on his official visit. Provincial Tyler Bill Ward was also in attendance.

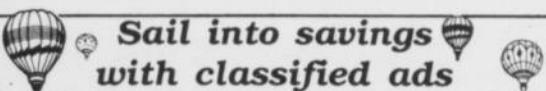
Stavely brought The Traveling Gavel and they showed up with 30 members. We only had

25 members present but everything went well.

A few dates: Mon., Jan. 27 we take the Traveling Gavel to Calgary; Feb. 1 & 2, Corby Cup Playdown in Strathmore; March 28, Stavely Installation of officers.

Just a reminder 1992 dues are now payable; please send payment to B.O.P. Elks, Box 147, Didsbury or come and pay at the next meeting supper at 7 p.m. sharp.

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OLDS NEWS

Lock up, say RCMP

Auto thefts up 50 per cent in Olds

Motorists in the Olds area are being warned to lock their vehicles around town.

Corporal Dwayne Skappick from the Olds RCMP detachment has just received statistics showing the number of auto thefts rising 47 per cent over last year. "That takes in anything and everything from half-ton trucks to cars to even skidoos," Skappick explains. "The problem isn't just isolated to the urban centres anymore."

Why Olds? On the whole, Skappick blames easy access. "For the most part, it's things like keys being left in the ignition, and open vehicle doors. It makes it easy for anyone to come along and just drive off."

Skappick says in town, many of the thefts are recovered a short time following the complaint. "There are cases where a group of individuals are stealing these vehicles and selling them, but for the most part, cars and trucks are being stolen for transportation—to simply get from point A to point B. After that, they're just dumped in some ditch and generally recovered."

In most cases, thieves after

ski-dooes are of the more polished variety. "These people usually know the value of what they're after and are more willing to take greater risks to get the more expensive kinds of recreational vehicles. That's why people should always take time to lock them securely in their garages whenever possible."

Unfortunately, some precautions just don't work when you're up against the more resourceful thief. "There are people just waiting for an opportunity to take advantage of, and hiding keys in glove boxes or

under floor mats just doesn't work . . . a good thief knows where to look."

With all the bad press auto thefts are receiving lately, however, there are some more promising statistics being siphoned through. "Our incidence of rural vehicle thefts from places like Torrington and Wimbourne is way down from last year, for example, by about 58 per cent," Skappick adds. Along with that is the fact that the total motor vehicle theft recovery rate is also on the climb.



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According to RCMP, the biggest problems aren't with the thieves themselves, but with the owners. "We wouldn't have near the number of vehicle thefts reported if people would just take time to think."

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SUNDRE / WESTWARD HO NEWS

Sundre ambulance has good response record

By Kathy Lloyd

While rural living may mean sacrificing some of the amenities of city life, it's reassuring to know that emergency medical services isn't one of them. The emergency medical services provided by Sundre is some of the best available anywhere.

Dr. Jim Thompson, Medical Director of Sundre Ambulance, however, believes it could be improved if people understand it better.

Sundre Ambulance covers some 800 square kilometers and Sundre General is a fully equipped trauma and emergency life support facility. Ninety-eight per cent of the 250 - 300 annual calls have an average of less than 8 minutes in-town and less than 20 minutes for rural site response time.

"That's as good a response time average as the City of Calgary," says Dr. Thompson, "it's incredible considering the attendants aren't sitting in the ambulance waiting for a call."

Despite this excellent response record, many people believe an ambulance takes too long to arrive. Mr. John Rose, Sundre Ambulance Manager, believes this is a universal problem because time is accelerated in an emergency

situation and five minutes seems more like twenty.

But he also feels it's due to a misconception about ambulance service, particularly in the rural areas. It's a misconception he'd like to see cleared up.

"It often leads people to transport patients by private vehicle and that can sometimes cause complications," Rose says, "too often we see patients, particularly children, jeopardized because people think it's faster to drive themselves."

The presence of the STARS ambulance has added to the misconception. People believe the helicopter can get to the scene much faster and are angry when it isn't dispatched.

In reality, for the Sundre area, it is a 23 minute flight from Calgary and an average of 8 minutes to get the crew and chopper airborne. "If a doctor is dispatched with the helicopter, you can add another 15 to 20 minutes," says Dr. Thompson.

"Our ground service can be there in 16 to 20 minutes or less, even with a doctor on board."

"There are 'grey zones' in our dispatch area, around Cremona for example, where

STARS might provide faster advanced life support care," Thompson explained.

He also believes STARS is indispensable in situations where access by ground is limited or where very special services, not available locally, are required by a patient.

Sundre's response time can be partially credited to the Code system they have. Code 3 or 4 will have the on-call Emergency Medical Technician at the ambulance bay and rolling in minutes.

"It's not without its problems though," comments Dr. Thompson. One of the biggest problems is dispatching. "Our greatest difficulty is communication. The average person doesn't understand the ambulance system and when they are confronted with a medical emergency, they don't want to answer questions, they just want the ambulance there," Thompson explains.

He also sees people hesitating to call the local ambulance in "borderline" cases believing that rural hospitals are inadequate care facilities.

"We've heard of cases where parents have taken their children into the Foothills for treatment," he commented. People often believe they will

be transferred anyway so they might as well drive themselves. Unfortunately a lot of things can happen in the hour or more it takes to get there.

Dr. Thompson would like people to understand that Sundre Hospital is a full trauma and

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CREMONA / WATER VALLEY NEWS

Annual balloon festival ready for takeoff

The second edition of Cremona's annual Hot Air Balloon Festival is planned for Saturday, Feb. 29.

Last year's initial festival was a rousing success and organizers are hoping for more of the same this time around.

A number of events have been planned for throughout the day.

And, a limited number of rides with balloonist throughout the competition will be

available at a cost of \$75.

The day begins with the set-up of balloons and take-off between 10:30 and 12 noon.

Various outdoor games and events, with prizes, will be held from noon to 4:30 p.m.

There'll be a barbecue steak supper from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. Tickets for adults, available in advance only, have been priced at \$10. A hot dog supper for kids, ages six to 13, will be available for \$4 at the door.

The balloonists will be putting on a light show from 7:30 to 9 p.m.

Then, a family dance at the community hall will put the capper on the day. It's scheduled from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. with music provided by the Country 105 Travelling Road Show. Tickets (in advance) are available for \$6, or \$7 at the door. Children under 14 will be admitted for \$2 at the door.

Ticket sales for the dance and supper are underway. For

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CARSTAIRS NEWS

Crossing guards going to work next week

By Peter Crosby

Two crossing guards will be hired to improve safety for school children at two hazardous Carstairs intersections.

The two guards are expected to start work the first week in February, said Frank Penny, a member of Hugh Sutherland School's Parent Advisory Council safety committee.

The safety committee sought applications for the positions after a Carstairs school trustee, Susan Denischuk, raised concerns about safety during a board of education meet-

ing last year.

Funding for the positions will be split 50/50 between the town and county.

The two adult guards will work in both the morning and afternoon—before and after school—at the intersection of Highway 2A, east of the railway tracks, and at the intersection west of the tracks, 10th Avenue and Goff Road.

At present only the intersection east of the tracks at Highway 2A has the luxury of a school patrol which works afternoons only.

Although there have been no serious accidents at these intersections, it was felt the addition of adult crossing guards would ensure this unblemished record continues.

"There'll be some training and coordination with the school patrol," said Penny. "We're hoping the additions will add to the safety factor."

While the town and county are sharing the costs of these positions, it was left to the committee to select the successful applicants.

The committee is also working on other innovations to improve safety in the area. Attempts are being made to install guard rails in the area of

railway crossing, to guide students in the same path, and to widen the sidewalk east of the tracks.

In addition, the county is looking at improving the service road which runs in front of

the school, to help improve traffic flow.

"Safety is basically an attitude of the mind," said Penny. "We're trying to improve the environment to help in this regard."



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Weather report

From the Weather Station at Olds College for the week ending Monday, Jan. 27, 1992.

PRECIPITATION:

Since April 1 (April through October 31)

Actual 5.0mm
Normal 3.9mm

TEMPERATURE:

Max. high 8.0C on Jan. 20.
Min. low -14.5C on Jan. 26.

Average temp. for week
5.0C

Normal average temp. for week -11.0C.

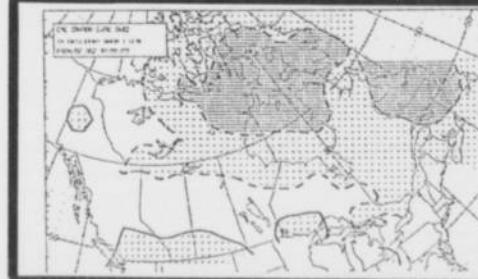
FORECAST:

Wednesday: Mostly sunny. High: +6; Low: -5.

Thursday: Mostly sunny. High: +2; Low: -10.

Friday: Mostly sunny. High: +8; Low: -4.

Normals for the period: High: -8; Low: -18.



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SPORTS

Jan. 30 to Feb. 1

DHS hosting 12-team hoop tournament

By Peter Crosby

Didsbury High School Dragons, tops among boys' basketball teams in County of Mountain View schools, will entertain 11 other schools during their sixth annual invitational tournament this Thursday through Saturday.

The Dragons, a perfect 5-0 in league play and 14-7 overall, are gearing for another shot at the AA south-central zone playoffs to be held in Three Hills and a berth in the provincials to be played at River Glen School in Red Deer.

This weekend's tournament will provide a stiff test for the locals because it includes the two top-ranked teams from the south-central zone, Chestermere (#1) and Strathcona-Tweedsmuir (#2).

Didsbury's first game will be played Thursday (Jan. 30) when they tangle with River Glen, 8:30 p.m., in the Westglen gym.

The tournament is divided into four pools:

Pool A—Chestermere, Prairie Bible Institute, David Thompson;

Pool B—Canmore, Olds Strathcona-Christian;

Pool C—Strathcona-Tweedsmuir, Carstairs, Drayton Valley;

Pool D—Didsbury, River Glen, Vegreville.

Other opening day games Thursday: Strathcona-Tweedsmuir vs. Carstairs, 4 p.m.; Chestermere vs. Prairie, 5:30 p.m.; Canmore vs. Olds, 7 p.m.

On Friday, play starts at 9 a.m. and continues with games every 90 minutes until 8:30 p.m. when Didsbury squares off against Vegreville.

All games Thursday and Friday will be played at Westglen.

Saturday's playoff action starts at 9:30 a.m. at Westglen, with consolation action scheduled for the DHS gym, starting at 11 a.m. The championship game will be played at Westglen starting at 7 p.m.



Didsbury Dragons

Didsbury High School Dragons boys' basketball team will play host to their sixth annual invitational tournament this Thursday, Friday and Saturday, with 11 teams visiting town. DHS plays its first game Thursday, 8:30 p.m. at Westglen School. In all, 24 games are scheduled. Day passes, \$4, are available at the door, along with tournament passes priced at only \$7. Front row, left to right, Mike Luft (manager), Shane Loughran, David Banfield, Anthony Dahl, Shane Wilkins, David McMane; back row, Chris Rock, Aaron Finkbiner, Clint Platt, Aaron Bonkowski, Shawn Stetson, Darcy Whiteside, Andrew Gingrich. Missing when photo taken, Shawn McKee, Obey Chanthavong, Tye Stabbler, Shawn Ahmad and coach Larry Auger.

Undefeated season for Ringette team

In Tuesday night (Jan. 21) the Cremona Juniors closed out their regular season with a thrilling come-from-behind tie against Airdrie.

Airdrie scored 30 seconds into the game but Sherry Leask knotted the score 2 minutes later with a seeing-eye goal through traffic. A power play goal midway through the first restored Airdrie's lead, but

again it was short lived as Stacey Kinch scored on a wicked wrist shot on a shoot-in.

Early in the second, Airdrie took the lead once more with both teams shorthanded. Cremona applied great pressure throughout the period but to no avail until Melissa Foat, after a solid save, fired the ring out to Adrienne Blain who worked the give-and-go to perfection

with Wendy Leask. Wendy made a perfect pass into the offensive zone where Adrienne scooped it up, broke in all alone and put a high backhand in the top corner with 2:36 remaining.

Both teams had chances to break the tie but the goalies were up to the challenge. Solid defensive performances were

turned in by Nicole Carleton, Amber Havens, Monica Russell and Jill Fournier. Up front, Amanda Sheehan and Shera Robertson had strong games—and a couple of goals each. Cremona, also had two goals waved off.

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SPORTS



Ed Krebs

Centre Ed Krebs of the Didsbury Ramblers has been the team's leading scorer this season. He was selected to play in the recent Chinook Hockey League all-star game at Trochu. Ed is employed by Shell Canada.

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	W	L	T	GF	GA	PTS
Olds Elks	14	3	0	172	73	28
Innisfail Eagles	12	4	0	122	83	24
Hobbema Oilers	8	8	0	106	107	16
Trochu Blazers	4	11	0	75	142	8
Didsbury Ramblers	3	15	0	79	149	6

TOP SCORERS

	GP	G	A	PTS	PIM
Rob Sklaruk, Olds	17	41	16	57	32
Lars Olsen, Olds	16	23	25	48	40
Joey Potts, Hobbema	16	15	27	43	20
Gord Olsen, Olds	17	16	26	42	28
Ross Cromwell, Olds	13	16	25	41	10
Derek Davidson, Trochu	15	19	17	36	24
Stu Jackson, Hobbema	15	18	17	35	46
Wes Makofka, Innisfail	14	19	15	34	23
Reg Olsen, Olds	13	16	18	34	8
Kevin Dzuba, Innisfail	16	10	23	33	40
Cy LaFlamme, Olds	13	11	19	30	62
Shawn Painter, Trochu	10	14	13	27	33
Boyd LaFlamme, Olds	9	6	21	27	12
Chad McKinnon, Innisfail	14	11	14	25	103
Tim Longjohn, Hobbema	13	8	16	24	28
Bill Winther, Trochu	15	11	12	23	25
Darcy Karabashewski, Innisfail	13	11	12	23	42
Dwayne Simpson, Innisfail	14	8	15	23	8
Rick Kosik, Olds	12	9	12	21	16
Mark Dowler, Innisfail	15	7	14	21	63
Brian Gardner, Olds	16	5	16	21	64
Garth Esperance, Hobbema	15	5	16	21	26

GOALTENDERS

	GP	MP	GA	W-L-T	GAA
Ron Moritz, Olds	8	416	24	6-2-0	3.46
Brad Weatherall, Innisfail	12	689	55	9-3-0	4.79
Todd Vader, Olds	9	434	38	6-1-0	5.25
Darryl Buffalo, Hobbema	11	659	66	6-5-0	6.01
Marty Krebs, Didsbury	12	613	78	2-7-0	7.63
Warren Ferguson, Trochu	14	810	114	4-10-0	8.44
Red Wilson, Didsbury	9	468	70	1-8-0	8.97

PENALTY LEADERS

	GP	PIM
Keith Sitala, Trochu	13	182
Mark Biggs, Trochu	15	105
Chad McKinnon, Innisfail	14	103
Al Sim, Innisfail	10	93
Ian Cutknife, Hobbema	14	87

Upcoming games

Friday, Jan. 31, Didsbury at Innisfail
 Saturday, Feb. 1, Didsbury at Trochu
 Saturday, Feb. 8, Hobbema at Didsbury.

Sharks win another

Didsbury Sharks played a very strong game against Didsbury 2 on Jan. 25 winning 5-1. The Sharks opened a 3 goal lead in the first with goals from Joe Leonard (Chris Christensen), Robert McNeil (Phillip McNeil) and an unassisted goal by Blake McNeil which was also a power play goal.

Only one goal in the second, also by the Sharks. James McRae scored assisted by Jim Wright.

The Third period had the Sharks make it 5-0 when Joe Leonard (James McRae) scored on the Power Play. They lost the chance for a shutout when at 9:16 Didsbury 2 got a goal from Brett Hopfe.

The Sharks were 2 for 8 on the power play while Didsbury 2 were 0 for 3. The Sharks out shot Didsbury 2 25 to 12. The Sharks' record is now 8 wins, 1 loss and 2 ties.

Grizzlys still on top

By Peter Crosby

Olds Grizzlys, despite a 4-1 loss last week to the second-place Calgary Royals, are still in first place in the Alberta Junior Hockey League standings.

The Grizzlys (32-9-3) hold top spot by two points over the Royals, with two games in hand.

Olds has a busy schedule this week, which started Monday with a home game against the Calgary Canucks. This Wednesday, Olds will play at Red Deer's new Centrium against

the St. Albert Saints. And then,

the Grizzlys have a pair of games at the Olds Sportsplex on the weekend, facing Fort Saskatchewan Traders, Friday, and Sherwood Park Crusaders, Saturday. Both games start at 8 p.m.

Trevor Tovell, a newly-acquired defenceman, scored the only Olds goal in last Thursday's loss to the Royals.

Earlier in the week, Olds knocked off Fort Saskatchewan 6-3.

On the weekend, the

Grizzlys were well-represented at the AJHL all-star game which drew more than 1,200 fans in Bonnyville.

League-leading scorer Reo Lajeunesse of the Grizzlys scored one goal in the leading south all-stars to an 8-5 win over the north. Other Grizzlys figuring in the scoring summary were Steve Opp, two assists, and Eric Fulton, one assist.

Grizzlys' assistant coach, Cliff Murphy, represented the team on the south bench.

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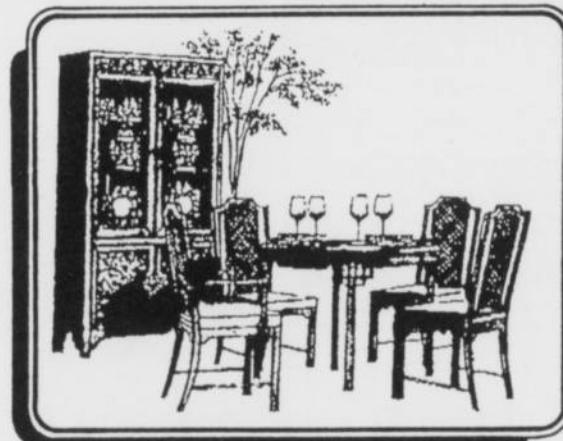
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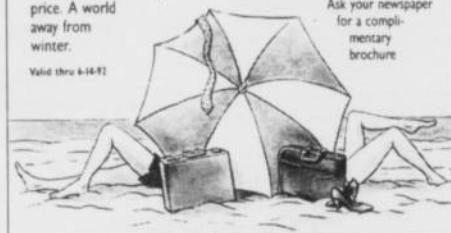
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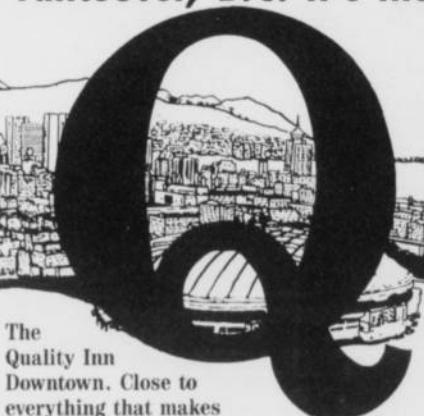
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Town of Didsbury
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NOTICE

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The Council of the Town of Didsbury, in the Province of Alberta, proposes to enact as follows:

- That Lot 1A, Block 9, Plan 8410166 Didsbury, be removed from Special Industrial District (I3) and placed in General Residential District (R2).

The proposed amendment and maps will be available for inspection at the Town Administration Office in Didsbury during normal working days and hours until 4:30 p.m., Tuesday, February 18, 1992.

At 6:00 p.m., Tuesday, February 18, 1992, the Council will cause a public hearing to be held in the Council Chambers of the Town of Didsbury, Alberta.

Any person or persons wishing to present views, to the Council of the Town of Didsbury at the Public Hearing, on the proposed amendment shall:

- Appear in person and submit their views, or
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Dated at Didsbury, Alberta, this 22nd day of January, 1992.

E. MICHAEL STOREY,
Chief Administrative Officer.

TOWN OF DIDSBUY

PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE OF INTENTION

TAKE NOTICE that the Council of the Town of Didsbury proposes to pass a By-law to close that portion of 18th Avenue, shown on Plan Didsbury 7976 C.N., which lies to the East of 17th Street and to the West of the northerly production of the east boundary of the portion of Block 1, Plan Didsbury 7976 C.N.

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Any person who claims that he will be affected prejudicially by the By-law may be heard at a Public Hearing to be held at the Town Office on **Tuesday, February 18, 1992**, commencing at 7:00 p.m., in the Council Chambers.

E. Michael Storey,
Chief Administrative Officer.

Town of Didsbury

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#3-92
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#58-91
6-17-51181
2122 - 19th Avenue
APPROVAL of amendment to include a front yard deck with a waiver of the front yard setback.

#1-92
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1600 - 20 Avenue
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#2-92
Bk 4-P1 7976 C.N.
APPROVAL for a Senior Citizen Development on the following conditions:
1) an executed development agreement with the Town of Didsbury in regard to services and levies,
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PERSONALITIES

Vocational programs expanding

'If they had this when I was going to school, I probably wouldn't have become a teacher.'

—Dave Epp, County of Mountain View schools vocational education coordinator.

By Peter Crosby

A successful vocational education program launched in County of Mountain View schools four years ago is on the verge of expansion.

Dave Epp, a long-time, self-confessed car nut, who teaches auto mechanics and autobody theory in the classrooms of all five county high schools, said he's excited the program is planning to expand to welding.

"We're hoping to have it [welding] approved next Tuesday [Jan. 28]," Mr. Epp said in an interview last week.

Mr. Epp, who has taught and been a principal in the County of Mountain View school system for the past 24 years, says taking over the vocational education program in 1990, has been one of the



Dave Epp

most positive experiences of his teaching career.

"The thing I like about it is that the students are so motivated," he said. "There's no problem getting them to put in extra hours. If you tried to

add a 4 p.m. math class [for the general school population], you'd have a revolt on your hands."

On average, between 24 and 30 students a year enrol in the vocational education programs for boys. There is also a beauty culture program for girls that is gaining popularity and there are plans for a food services program.

Mr. Epp said the programs are useful and necessary.

"We've got to get away from this idea that an academic education is for everyone. It's not."

"With only 20 per cent of the school population having the marks for university, what happens to the other 80 per cent?"

"If they had this when I was going to school, I probably wouldn't have become a teacher."

While he takes turns at each of the schools in Didsbury, Olds, Sundre, Carstairs and Cremona, one day a week, the students get their practical experience in a number of dealerships and service garages which have been outstanding in their contributions to the program, he said.

In some cases, these employers have been so impressed with the students, it's lead to steady employment.

At present, 19 businesses are registered in the program.

"A lot of students make a very good impression at the job site and they realize that they'll get all the help available, but

that they have to work, that this is not a pushover," said Mr. Epp.

Many go on to courses at NAIT or SAIT, with the high school program providing a good incentive.

Mr. Epp succeeded Brian Large in overseeing the program and he credited his predecessor with laying sound groundwork for its successful continuation.

In his spare time, Mr. Epp loves to tinker with cars, works as an appraiser for H & R Pontiac in Olds, "doodles" and "farms a little on the side."

Bergens celebrate 60th anniversary

On Saturday, Jan. 11, 1992, relatives and friends of Frank and Margaret Bergen gathered in the Bergthal Mennonite Church, Didsbury, to celebrate their 60th wedding anniversary.

Individual photographs were taken of all the guests as they entered the dining room to be placed in an album commemorating this special occasion.

Under the direction of Bergen's youngest son, Virgil, an enjoyable program of singing and music was presented by the family.

In the tribute to her parents, Millie Siemens, Bergen's only daughter, thanked them for the rich, Christian heritage they had passed on to their children. True to their vows when they chose "As for me and my house we will serve the Lord" as their wedding text, the Bergens had brought their children up to love and serve the Lord.

Verna Neufeld, speaking for the Bergen families, reminisced about the good times they had had with their Uncle Frank and congratulated him and Margaret on having been able to spend 60 wonderful years together.

John Loewen, brother of Margaret Bergen, had calculated that in 60 years Margaret and Frank had spent 524,160 happy hours together. They had shared in the sad and happy events of their lives and had always found the Lord's grace sufficient.

Pastor Norman Bergen based his well wishes on Psalm 36:7-10 in which the believer expresses not only praise for the steadfast love of the Lord but also his need of Him.

Lyle Brown, church-chairman presented Bergens with a bouquet of flowers and expressed his appreciation for the sermons Frank had always given at Christian Endeavour.

Frank Bergen closed the program by saying how much he and Margaret appreciated the love and friendship extended to them by their family and friends and read a poem by Annie Johnson Flint "Hitherto Hath The Lord Helped Us."

Grace was said by Rev. Henry Unruh and a delicious

buffet supper was served.

The Bergens have three children: Arnold and Linda, Calgary, Millie and Gary Siemens, Hanna, and Virgil Bergen, Carstairs and six grandchildren. All but three were present. Bergen's maternal grandfather was the first deacon of the Bergthal Church appointed in 1901.

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We hear and read of these problems every day and this may create a certain amount of stress in us.

However, we do not need to let these problems overwhelm us. No matter how many problems we face or how severe they seem to be we can be assured that God has not forgotten us and he will help us live a life filled with hope and love. One of the ancient writers wrote in Psalm 46 that "God is our refuge and strength, an ever-present help in trouble."

God gives us help individually as we read the Bible and as we pray but he also gives us very

significant help as we associate with other people in worship and in meaningful interaction.

Obituary

COATES

Hazel Agnes Coates, widow of the late Harry C. Coates, passed away Jan. 18, 1992 at the age of 81 years. She had been a resident of the Didsbury Nursing Home since 1983.

The eldest daughter and second child of Duncan and Mary Milne of the Hunterville area, east of Didsbury, Hazel was born on July 18, 1910. She attended school at Stuart School, then worked in the area, and at Markerville, Alberta.

On Dec. 23, 1933, she was married to Harry Coates, and moved to the Elkton-Fallen Timber area where they lived until 1940. Their next move took them to a ranch in the Wardlow area. Here they lived until 1975, and during these years, Hazel took an active part in her community and in their ranching enterprise.

The Coates' moved back to Didsbury in 1976, and to the Nursing Home in 1983. Harry passed away May 22, 1986.

Hazel enjoyed the outings and other activities for the Nursing Home residents and always joined in, until quite recently.

Hazel Coates was predeceased by her parents, by her husband Harry, three infant sons, and by her sister Helen Stuart in 1991. She leaves to honor her memory her sister Verna (Fred) Pregitzer of Nanton, brothers Roy (Hazel) Milne, Owen (Anne) Milne, Ron (Chris) Milne of Didsbury, and Albert (Elsie) Milne of Leduc, many nieces, nephews and cousins, three sisters-in-law and one brother-in-law.

Funeral services were held from Knox United Church, Didsbury on Jan. 21, 1992, with Dr. Travis Cannaday officiating. Pallbearers were Duncan, Dwayne, Jim and Gordon Milne, George Maxwell and Richard Regner. Interment was in the Didsbury Cemetery. If friends wish, memorials may be made to the Mountain View Health Care Centre Recreational Therapy Department.

Mountain View Funeral Chapels were entrusted with funeral arrangements.



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CHURCH DIRECTORY

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203 - 24th Avenue, Didsbury
335-4664

WORSHIP SERVICES

1st Sunday, Morning Prayer
2nd, 3rd & 4th Sundays, Holy Eucharist
3rd Sunday, Family Service
Church School, Every Sunday Starting Sept. 8
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Pastor Rev. John Wollenberg
Affiliated with North American Baptist Conference

First Baptist

50th St. & 53rd Ave., Olds, AB.
Ph. 556-3219 or 556-2840
Dr. George Munchinsky, Sr. Pastor
556-2931
Mr. Del Wiberg - 556-1304
Associate Pastor - Youth & C.E.
9:45 a.m. Sunday School for all ages
11:00 a.m. Worship Service
6:00 p.m. Evening Family Fellowship (Includes Youth & Pioneer Clubs)
Phone the church for Prayer and Bible Study groups.
7:00 p.m. Friday, Youth Night
Ladies Morning Out two series a year)

Christ The King Catholic

Water Valley, Alberta
Father Burke Hoschka: 932-2944
Sunday Mass: 8:45 a.m.

St. Agnes Carstairs

Father Ignatius Tran
1st, 3rd & 5th Sundays: 9:00 a.m.
2nd & 4th Sundays: 11:00 a.m.
Saturday Evening Mass: 7:30 p.m.

St. Anthony's Catholic

2030 - 24 Ave., Didsbury
Parochial Assistant
Sister Edna Fraser: 335-8119
Mass Time:
2nd & 4th Sundays at 9:00 a.m.
Otherwise Saturdays at 7:00 p.m.

St. Frances Xavier Crossfield

Father Ignatius Tran 337-3025
1st, 3rd & 5th Sundays: 11:00 a.m.
2nd & 4th Sundays: 9:00 a.m.
There will be no Saturday pm. Mass until further notice.

St. Stephen's Catholic

4302 - 57 Ave., Olds
Father Vic Perron
Regular Services, Saturday 5 p.m.
Sunday 11 a.m.

Anglican:

Mountain View Parish

Church Office: 336-3967
St. John's: 4621 - 50 St. - Olds
Worship Service & Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.
St. Cuthbert & St. George's: 5th Avenue & Centre Street - Sundre
Worship Service & Sunday School: 11:30 a.m.
The Rev. James Robinson
Welcome in Christ's Name

Carstairs Church of God

Cantians, Phone: 337-3045
Corner of 10th Avenue & Grey Street
Pastors: Bev & Evan Baum
Sunday Services:
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
Open Session
Sunday School Classes: 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship: 11 a.m.
Evening Service: 7 p.m.
Wednesday: Mid-week Church & Home Bible Studies
Friday: Youth Fellowship

Community Bible

Didsbury, 335-8895
Pastors: Richard & Beth Kope
Sunday Service: 10 a.m.
2024 - 17 Ave.
Member of CFCM
Canadian Fellowship of Churches and Ministers

Eagle Hill Community Church

Sunday Service - 11 a.m.
Pastor: Mike Conaway
West of Olds on Hwy. 27 to the Eagle Hill turn off. 2 miles north and 2 miles west on top of Eagle Hill.

Zion Evangelical

Minister: Richard A. Pahl
Study: Phone: 335-3505
Parsonage: Phone: 335-3103
2025 - 20 Ave., Didsbury
Sunday Services:
Sunday School: 10 a.m.
Morning Worship: 11 a.m.
Evening Fellowship Hour: 7 p.m.
Wednesday: Bible Study 7:00 p.m.
A Friendly Invitation To You

Carstairs Bethel Evangelical

Pastor: Ralph Rau
Church: Phone: 337-2355
Residence: Phone 333-2198
Sunday Services:
Sunday School: 10 a.m.
Morning Worship: 11 a.m.
Evening Fellowship Hour: 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday: Midweek Service

Faith Lutheran

LUTHERAN CHURCH - CANADA
Rev. Eric Betsch
Parsonage: Phone: 335-3656
Church: Phone: 335-3161
Education Hour: 9:30 a.m.
Worship: 10:30 a.m.
Holy Communion: 1st & 3rd Sunday
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Rev. Eric Betsch

Parsonage: Phone: 337-3878
Residence: Phone: 337-3848

Sunday Services:
Sunday School: 10:00 a.m.
Worship Service: 11 a.m.
Holy Communion: 1st & 3rd Sundays

St. Paul's Lutheran Evangelical Lutheran Church in Canada

5022 - 52 St., Olds, Ph.: 556-8811
Rev. Reinhold Hohenstein

Sunday Worship & Sunday School 10 a.m.
Holy Communion 1st & 3rd Sundays

Cremona Missionary

Pastor: Steve Budd
Church, Phone: 637-3878

Residence: Phone: 637-3848

Sunday Services:
Sunday School: 10:00 a.m.
Worship Service: 11 a.m.
Midweek: "Groups With Purpose,"
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Didsbury Missionary

2022 - 21 Avenue, Box 686, Phone: 335-3629

Pastors: Norman Zimmerman & Tom Hilchie
Phone: 335-4437, 335-8149
Sunday Services:

Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.

Morning Worship: 10:30 a.m.

Evening Worship: 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday: Youth and Adult Bible Study and
Prayer - 7:00 p.m.

Friday evening Youth Activities

Supervised Nursery and Wheelchair Ramp

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May City Missionary

14 miles east of Olds on Highway 27

4 miles north on May City Road

Pastor: Charlie Bowen, 556-8820

Sunday School: 10 a.m.

Morning Worship: 11 a.m.

Evening Worship: 7 p.m.

Wednesday: Children's Program & Youth & Adult
Bible Studies 7 p.m.

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Mountain View Missionary

14 Kilometers East of Didsbury

Pastor: Mark

Worship Centre of the Community

Sunday Services:

Sunday School: 10 a.m.

Worship Service: 11 a.m.

Wednesday: Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.

Olds Community

Meeting in Olds Recreation Centre
5205 - 52nd Street

Church 556-6227, Pastor: res. 556-6649

Evening Service - 7:00 p.m.

Nursery Provided

Worship - 10:30 a.m.

Wednesday: Bible Study & Prayer 7:30 p.m.

Brian Lehr - Pastor

Olds and District Seventh-Day Adventist

4202 - 57th Avenue

Worship Services Every Saturday

Sabbath School - 9:30 a.m.

Worship Service - 11:00 a.m.

Pastor Norman Manweiler

Church 556-8889; Residence 556-7058

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Worship Service: 11 a.m.

Wednesday: Bible Studies: 7:30 p.m.

Visitors Welcome

Olds Word of Life Centre

Pastors Dario & Sheila Bonin

4407 - 47 Ave., Olds, Alberta

For Info. or in-home Counselling: Ph. 556-4042

Sunday - For Everyone

10:00 a.m. - Pre-service Prayer

10:30 a.m. - Children's Church

6:00 p.m. - Central Alberta Regional

Impact Service in Red Deer

Wednesday: Family Night

7:15 p.m. - Bible Study & Training

Saturday - Prayer Night

7:00 p.m. - All-Church Prayer

Cremona Congregational

Minister Frank Cummings

Church: 637-3768

Church & Sunday School: 10:00 a.m.

Bible Study and Prayer Group

Wednesday: 7:30 p.m.

The United Church of Canada

Carstairs United

Rev. Robert Aldrich, B.A., Div.

Church, phone: 337-3131

Manse, Phone: 337-3019

Sunday Services:

Caravans for Kids: Tues. 4:00 p.m. (Gr. 1-6)

Youth Activity: Fri. 7:00 p.m. (Ages 12 & Up)

Ladies Fellowship: Call for Info.

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Olds Pentecostal Assembly

5014 - 49 St.

Sunday Services:

11:00 a.m. - Sunday School

11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship

7:00 p.m. - Praise & Worship

Wed. 7:00 p.m. - Bible Study &

Prayer Meeting

Fri. 7:00 p.m. - Youth

Pastor: Rev. Clem Lapointe

Office 556-8187 - Home 556-8191

Olds United

Sunday Worship 10 a.m.

Rev. Leonard Ling

Church Phone 556-3052

Tues. - Fri. 1 a.m.

50th St. & 48th Ave.

Bandera United

118 - Centre Street, Sundre

Rev. David Sutherland

Church Office - Phone 638-4428

Manse - Phone 638-3783

Morning Service 10 a.m.

COUNTY CLASSIFIEDS

Deadline is Thursday at 5:00 p.m.

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For Sale: 1987 F150, 4.9 litre, 4 speed, Kenwood stereo, 77,000 km. Excellent truck, \$7,500 OBO. Phone Steve at 335-4200. 39-2tc

Equipment

For Sale: Gen. Cultivator & Hoe Drill wear points, Phillips Shank Straightener and Porta Press, Jackall Safety Stand. Denkay Enterprises, 337-2267. 33-1fc

For Sale: Older D6 Caterpillar. Good working condition, \$8,000.00, OBO. Call 556-7423 evenings or 556-4950 days. 38-2tp

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Help Wanted

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Cards of Thanks

Thank you to the Didsbury Volunteer Fire Dept. for your tremendous efforts in putting out our car fire Jan. 14, 1992. The support of the firemen, Res-Q Towing, and our neighbors was truly and greatly appreciated! The Rotherts 39-1tc

We wish to express our sincere thanks to relatives and friends for their kind and comforting words and support to us during the loss of a grandson-nephew and cousin, Kelly Christiansen. Many thanks to all who sent food, cards and flowers to our homes. Also many thanks to Rev. Oldrich and Mt. View Funeral Chapel for their words of comfort and kindness. Your kindness will always be remembered.

Evelyn Milne, Mel & Lisa Milne, Shirley & Bob Hedin & family 39-1tp

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THE DIDSURY REVIEW

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Card of Thanks

We wish to express our sincere "Thanks" to all who helped make Hazel Coates "Home" at the Mountain View Health Care Centre, Didsbury, a very pleasant eight years for her.

Our grateful thanks also to Dr. Cannaday for the lovely service, to Jean Ford for the music, to Chris Milne for the fitting eulogy, and Vern for his poetry. Thanks also to the U.C.W. for the delicious lunch, to Mr. Cooper and the Mountain View Funeral Chapels and the pallbearers.

Also to all friends and relatives for their many messages of sympathy on the passing of our very special sister.

God Bless you all.

Verna Pregitzer, Roy, Owen, Ronald & Albert Milne and their families 39-1tp

Coming Events

Didsbury St. Anthony's Parish Turkey Supper, Sunday, Feb. 2, 1992, 4 p.m. - 7 p.m. at the Lutheran Church Auditorium. Adults, \$7.00; age 6-12, \$4.00; Under 6, free. Knights of Columbus will give rides or deliver to shut-ins. Phone Thelma Schultz at 335-4064. 37-3tc

Mixed Bridal Shower will be held for Lisa Krebs and Tom Van Tetering at Redeemer Lutheran Church on Sunday, Feb. 9, at 7:30 p.m. Lunch will be served. Everyone welcome. 39-1tp

King Hiram Masonic Ball Ladies Night '92, Saturday, February 15, Didsbury Elks Hall. Cocktails 6:00 p.m. Dinner 7:30 p.m. Dance 9:00 p.m. Ticket: \$17.50 ea. Phone Jim Allison 335-8339, Tee Jay Johnston 335-4060, Business 335-3111. 39-1tp

The annual meeting of Didsbury Life-Line will be held at the Town Office Council Chambers on Tuesday, Feb. 11 at 9:30 a.m. The public is cordially invited to attend especially those involved as "responders." 39-1tp



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Engagement & Marriage

Howard & Laura Krebs are pleased to announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter Lisa Annie to Tom Corey, son of Cornelius & Viola Van Tetering. The marriage will take place in Didsbury on February 14, 1992. 39-1tp

Gerald & Jeanette Johnson and Cliff & Dolores Rahn are pleased to announce the engagement of their children, Brenda Dianne and Carl William. The marriage will be celebrated July 4, 1992 at the Evangelical Church in Didsbury. 39-1tc

In Memoriam

Of our father, Harold Feeg, who died at home on January 21, 1991.

Too Often . . . Too Late

"Too often we don't tell special people in our lives how much we care, Or take time to write or phone, Or say, 'Thank You!' for something Someone does for us.

Too often we take for granted that Someone will always be there, And too often we forget the little things.

That are so important in life . . . Until 'too often' eventually becomes 'too late.'"

Marilyn, Curtis, Cynthia (Bork), Jeff

39-1tc

Personal

Alcoholics Anonymous meetings Friday, 8:30 p.m. at the Masonic Hall, Didsbury, 20 Ave. and 21 St. Information 335-3637, 335-4676.

Jan./Dec.pd

As of January 1, 1992, I, Ken McKinnon will not be responsible for any debts incurred by Kathy McKinnon, Brad or Lana Wolfe. 39-1tc

Al-Anon meetings for families of alcoholics held every Friday at 8:30 p.m. in Masonic Hall, corner of 21 St. and 21 Ave., Didsbury. More info. 335-3637.

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HECTIC...

When it is followed by a Welcome Wagon call!

Phone 335-4699



Southwest Didsbury news

By Mrs. Bessie Eckstrand

Sympathy of the area is extended to George and wife Ruby Easton of Didsbury and formerly of Westcott as George's mother Mrs. Ila Easton of Fort Francis, Ontario passed away Dec. 31st, at the age of 78, after having a losing battle with cancer. George and Ruby along with three brothers attended the funeral on Jan. 3rd.

To those who are in hospital and are home recuperating, i.e. Harvey Hosegood and a number of others. Hope everyone will be able to be home soon.

Congratulations and best wishes of the area go to Ruby (Eckstrand) and husband Paul Fetter of Medicine Hat, who celebrated their 65th Wedding Anniversary on Jan. 18th by having an anniversary cake at Wild Rose Lodge, supper for about 30 family members at the Maple Restaurant and music and singing later at the lodge. Present were their 3 daughters Phyllis and husband John Foeat of

Cremona, Leona Walsh and Eileen Fetter of Medicine Hat. Also attending was Ruby's brother Cliff and wife Bessie Eckstrand of Didsbury, and numerous grandchildren.

Ruby and Paul have resided in the lodge for the past year, enjoy going out for a meal, visiting with friends and listening to music.

Also congratulations go to Dwila and Clarence Reid of Cremona, Carstairs, who celebrated early, their 58th Wedding Anniversary (real date Feb. 21st) and Clarence's 80th birthday (Jan. 21st) by family hosting open house at their home on Jan. 12th. A host of friends wished them improved health and happiness. Clarence loves music and still gets his violin out occasionally and plays a few tunes. Best wishes folks from your many relatives and friends.

Christian Women's Brunch was held Thurs., Jan. 16th at the Elks Hall in Didsbury, with a good number of ladies in

attendance. One feature was "Creative Fashions by You." Ladies modeled the gowns, vests, etc., that they made and all were very lovely.

Fashionable music by Marjorie Loewen of Carstairs.

Main speaker was Charlene Picard of Cochrane, "Spoken With Style."

Everyone enjoyed the morning out and good food by Gathel Bales of Carstairs.

Flu and colds have been making their rounds in the area and hope snow and cooler weather will put a damper on them.

Dates to Note:

1. Birthday Club will be held at the home of Pat Rosenke on Thurs., Jan. 30th.

Westcott brunch will be held first Wed. of the month at 10 a.m. at the hall. This month Feb. 5th.

Knox U.C.W. will be held Tues., Jan. 28th in the Church Hall with president Buelah Gilson in the chair.

Mountain View W.I. news

Submitted by Jeanette Hunter

Our Jan. 20 meeting was at the home of Isabelle Rigsby with 10 members present.

Our vice president Fern Olson took the meeting in the absence of Peggy Skinner.

With the new year came pay

5-0 Club news

The executive met on Jan. 20 with a heavy agenda.

A Valentine's dinner will be on Feb. 12 at 1 p.m. (Wed.). This will be a potluck event, so bring a meat or vegetable or salad or dessert dish, as no meat will be provided.

The annual meeting will be held on Feb. 17 (Mon.) at 1:30 p.m. Your attendance is necessary as there are several items of business that must be decided by the membership. There are several vacancies on the executive so if you are interested, come and let your name be placed on the nomination list. Remember our membership dues are now due and you must be a paid up member to be able to vote.

It was decided to have a mercury vapor light installed at the back entrance.

Anne Jenkins gave a report and also a list of her proposed trips for the coming year. She would like assistance in organizing these outings, as with regrets, we had to accept the resignations of Thelma Schultz and Helen Ebanks.

Name tags for all members was discussed and will be reported on at the annual meeting.

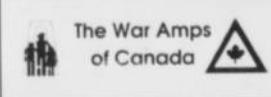
At this time the sympathy of the club goes to Mrs. Kay Keys in the loss of her husband Dr. Jim.

To those who are ill at home or in hospital we wish you a speedy recovery.

See all at the dinner and the annual meeting.

I WILL GROW STRONGER

The War Amps of Canada



interesting paper on "Your Mind Can Keep You Well." In this syco-semantic disease one has to do a lot for themselves like learn to work, have hobbies, like people, learn to be satisfied during adversity and humorous things. In problems decide what you are going to do about it, to name just a few things.

We decided to dispense with our secret pals but would make a homemade valentine for February.

February is also our executive month to finalize plans for conference.

Our tea draw netted \$2.25 and was won by Elsie Phillips.



New power lines

Workers have been busy the past few weeks installing new power poles in Didsbury.



MORE VALUE & SELECTION IN EVERY

AISLE

FOR WEEK ENDING FEB. 1, 1992

Milk
Alpha, Evaporated,
385 ml.
79¢

Apple Juice
Co-op, Clear, 1 L.
99¢

Soft Margarine
Becel, Reg. or Light,
907 g.
\$2.99

Tomato Juice
Heinz, 1 L.
\$1.19

Bathroom Tissue
Delsey, White, 24 Rolls
\$6.99

Pink Salmon
Cloverleaf, 213 g.
99¢

DAIRY VALUES

Yogurt Alpha, Assorted Flavors, 750 g.	\$1.69
Sour Cream Alpha, 500 ml.	\$1.69
Cottage Cheese Alpha, 2%, 250 g.	89¢

DELI

Bologna Schneiders, Bong	89¢
Salami or Pepperoni Burns	69¢

Quality MEATS

Fresh Chicken Sale - Family Packs

Breasts Back Attached	\$4.39 kg	\$1.99 lb.
Legs , Back Attached	\$2.62 kg.	\$1.19 lb.
Drumsticks	\$5.49 kg.	\$2.49 lb.
Thighs	\$5.93 kg.	\$2.69 lb.
Wings	\$5.05 kg.	\$2.29 lb.
Blade Roast Boneless, Co-op Trim, Cut From Canada "A" Beef	\$4.37 kg.	\$1.98 lb.
Wieners Schneiders, Lifestyle, Reg., Beef, 450 g.		\$2.49 ea.
Lunch & Snack Sticks Schneiders, Assorted, 500 g.		\$4.59 ea.

ULTRA CHEER 6L	\$7.99
KOOL-AID Koolers 3 - 250 ml.	99¢
TUNA Cloverleaf, In Water or Oil, 184 g.	89¢
MACARONI & CHEESE Kraft, 225 g.	59¢
MIRACLE WHIP Kraft, Reg. or Light, 1 L.	\$3.99

DEEP BROWN BEANS Libby's, Assorted, 398 ml.	99¢
CHICKEN NOODLE SOUP Campbell's, 284 ml.	75¢
VEGETABLE SOUP Campbell's, 284 ml.	75¢
MARGARINE Parkay, Colored, 1.36 kg.	\$3.29

PRODUCE SPECIALS

"Chinese New Year." Gung Hat Fat Choy
Year Of The Monkey



Broccoli California Grown	.1.52 kg.	69¢
Mushrooms Alberta Grown, 200 g.		99¢
Green Onions California Grown		2/69¢
Suey Choy, Bok Choy California Grown	.78¢ kg.	69¢
Bananas Imported, Golden Yellow	.78¢ kg.	69¢

MANY IN-STORE CHINESE SPECIALS
WATERCHESTNUTS, POMMELO'S, KIM CHEE

bakery SPECIALS

JAN 28 - FEB. 1

White Bread Unsliced, Pkg. of 4	Only \$2.89 ea.
Carrot Muffins Pkg. of 6	\$1.59 ea.
Crusty Buns Whole Wheat, Pkg. of 12	\$1.69 ea.
Poppy Seed Buns	3/\$1.49

FRESH BAKED DAILY IN OUR STORE

FROZEN FOODS

Fish & Chips Fraservale, Turbot, 750 g.	\$2.99
Pizza Pops Assorted, 500 g.	\$2.99
1886 Ice Cream Assorted Flavors, 2 L.	\$4.49

Pop
Coca Cola Classic,
Diet Coke, Sprite,
Reg. & Diet, 12 Pks.
\$3.99
+ Deposit + Tax

Cafeteria Specials

Jan. 29/92
Wednesday
Cheesburger
With Soup or Fries
Dessert & Beverage
\$4.00

Jan. 30/92
Thursday
Denver Sandwich
With Soup or Fries
Beverage & Dessert
\$5.00

Jan. 31/92
Friday
Dinner
Beef Sausages
Dessert & Beverage
\$5.75

Lunch
Ham Salad Sandwich
With Soup or Fries
Beverage & Dessert
\$4.00

Country Morning Boxed Meat Sale

Steaks Rib Eye or Strip Loin, Box, 1.36 kg.	\$29.99 ea.
Bacon Wrapped Fillet Mignon, Box, 1.15 kg.	\$25.99
Turkey or Veal Cutlets Box, 1.15 kg.	\$16.99 ea.
Minute Steaks or Pork Cutlets Box, 1.15 kg.	\$12.99 ea.

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